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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Steamer Mohawk burned on Long Island sound; crew rescued and taken to Fall River, Mass., by a passing steamship. —— Four persons killed and a score o others injured by explosion in a gas plant at Chicago. —— Gen. Stoessel telegraphs that Port Arthur can hold out several months. —— Six men of the schooner Emily H. Naylor rescued by steamer Grenada and landed at New York. —— American Federation of Labor will aid the Fall River strikers to the extent of $25,000 per week for three weeks. —— Stephen Putney, of Richmond, Va., a visitor at the St. Louis fair, is missing and foul play if feared. —— A woman and a man found lying dead in a buggy near Detroit, Mich.; believed to be a case of murder and suicide —— Truck drivers' strike in Chicago: more disturbances yesterday; several factories were in a state of siege. —— Prince Fushimi left Washington yesterday for the world's fair at St. Louis. —— Fire at Norfolk, Va., damaged the city market. —— Dr. and Mrs. Holley, of Lexington, Ky., at New York city, report that one of their trunks has been robbed of jewelry valued at $20,000. —— New York markets: Money on call was steady at 2@2½ per cent.; cotton dull at 10.00c; flour quiet and partially lower; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red $1.21; corn—spot steady, No. 2 57; oats—spot steady, mixed 34½@35½c, rosin quiet; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 18.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 36; 8 P. M., 47 degrees; maximum, 50 degrees; minimum 34 degrees; mean 46 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, —; rainfall since first of the month to date, 1.28 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 18.—For North Carolina: Fair Saturday; warmer in east portion; Sunday fair; light to fresh winds.

Port Almanac—November 19.

Sun Rises	6.40 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.50 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 10 M.
High Water at Southport	5.05 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington	7.35 A. M.

The cry is again going up, "Hold your cotton!" Men who go around "spitting cotton" will please take notice.

The twelve solid Southern States will dam the landslide so it can't slop over on the genuine article—the real Dixie land.

An exchange's interrogation: "What is the matter with Tom Watson?" Oh, Tom's got a circumscription of ideas and a circumlocution of elaboration.

An exchange says: "If the surgeon's knife will cure a thief of the propensity to steal, what is the remedy for wife beaters?" The axe hasn't got an equal.

Anything to be thankful for on Thanksgiving Day? Cert. We should be thankful that we are not as other men are who didn't know enough to vote for Judge Parker.

If all the Republican statesmen didn't lose their sand in the landslide, some of them may be bold enough to accuse Roosevelt of being a white elephant instead of the genuine G. O. P. pachyderm.

Panama is going on with its foolishness and is trying to do another revolution stunt contrary to our advice that the landslide over here meant that they must lie down as one man.

General Kuroki denies the Russian report that he was killed by the splinter of a shell. However, it is mighty easy for a Russian to believe that Kuroki doesn't know what it was that hit him.

It is to be presumed now that there will not be many Democratic Peters who will beat themselves in their craven breasts and prevaricate about catching the landslide by the forelock in order to take a ride with Roosevelt.

Says the Washington Post: "We knew it had come. The Chicago Journal offers the inevitable editorial commencing: "Now that the smoke of battle has cleared away." We don't mind it just so the victor don't rob the corpse.

We have been asked to explain the cause of the Roosevelt landslide. Why, we dug too far under the foundation of the Republican mountain of iniquity and the blamed thing caved in on us before we could play a return engagement.

Judge Parker has hung out his law shingle in New York. The iridescence of the evanescent Presidency wasn't sufficient to shut his eye up to business. The equapois of our candidate was one of his qualities that we always bragged about.

The morning after the election we met an old soak, who held out his hand and said: "Gimme the price of a drink; I lost everything I had on Prrker!" As our briny tears overflowed into his dandy palm he went off to "work the other side," with the air of one who painfully realized that we were also in it when Cortelyou rocked the boat.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Rev. A. D. McClure, D.D., expects to preach in East Wilmington to-morrow at 3:30 P. M.

— The yacht Roberta was in at Little River, S. C., yesterday morning on her way South. She left Southport Thursday.

— Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the W. L. I. armory.

— Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., expects to return this evening from Synod and to preach in his pulpit tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.

— Mr. R. S. Parker, of the A. C. L. passenger department, left yesterday morning for Tarboro to look out for the transportation of the circus employes, who will be discharged at that point, when Forepaugh & Sells Brothers' shows disband there to day.

— Pender Chronicle: "From the way lumber is being hauled here for Mr. W. J. Moore, it begins to look like he is going to have a mammoth hotel at the beach. Mr. E. W. Ward is running two teams daily bringing it to the railroad at Burgaw."

— Robert Daly, a sailor from the British steamer Mokta, was locked up at the police station yesterday afternoon at the request of the captain through the British Vice Consul. Daly got on a spree soon after reaching port and the master of the steamer wants him to remain in the lock-up until he is sober.

— Only two cases engaged the attention of the Mayor in the police court yesterday. A negro sailor, drunk and disorderly, was fined $5 and costs. A negro boy who had been amusing himself shooting at the neighbors' chicken with an air rifle, was given a sound lecture and told to go his way, but never to be caught in the police court again.

At The Recruiting Office.

The recruiting office for the United States Navy opened Thursday in the Postoffice building, is not doing the rush business that was expected. Only nine applications have thus far been received and seven of those had to be rejected because the applicants were unable to come up to the physical requirements. The two others will be given further examination by an assistant surgeon here and, if they pass they will be sent on to one of the naval stations for final examination. The Navy offers many attractions to the young men of the country but Uncle Sam is very jealous of the physique of his sailors and unless the requirements are met fully they will not be received.

Preach Temperance Sermon.

At the First Baptist church Sunday night, Pastor Fred D. Hale will preach the last in the series of four Sunday night sermons. The text will be, "Look not Upon the Wine When it is Red, for at Last it Biteth like a Serpent and Stingeth like an Adder." It is the purpose of Dr. Hale to show the evils resulting from the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and a special invitation is extended to those who do not believe in and practice total abstinence. The service will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The ordinance of baptism will be administered just before the sermon.

Jap Struck a Sailor.

One of the Mikado's subjects, S. Wualda, by name, was at the police station yesterday, charged with an assault. Wualda is steward on the British barque "Musselcrag," and yesterday a sailor applied an epithet to him that he couldn't take. The Jap landed a blow on the sailor and the sailor came down to the police station and secured a warrant for the Oriental. Sergeant George H. Ward went down and served the warrant, but Captain Robeson, of the barque, became surety for his steward until police court to-day at noon.

No Authority to Lease.

The Board of Audit and Finance met in adjourned session at the City Hall last night and discussed several matters of importance but nothing definite was accomplished. The matter of the lease of the city docks was brought up, but an opinion from the City Attorney was given to the effect that the city had no right to let the public docks without the authority of a special act of the Legislature, which will doubtless be asked for at the forthcoming session in January. All members of the Board were present at the meeting last night.

Will Wed at Maxton.

Invitations reading as follows have been received in the city: "Mr. and Mrs. Edward McRae request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Annie Lane to Mr. Rufus M. Williams on Wednesday afternoon, November the thirtieth nineteen hundred and four at five o'clock, Presbyterian church Maxton, North Carolina."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice—Bids wanted.
Notice—Proposals wanted.
J. M. Solky & Co.—Overcoats.
Carolina Copper Works—Replating.
Mercer & Evans Co.—Douglass shoes

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Good Cow—For sale.
Welsbach Light—Steady.

Last day of Bargain Week at Polvogt's. Come to-day. †

Special bargain in Silk at Polvogt's to day. †

ONSLOW BOND SUIT.

Respondent Commissioners and Treasurer File Answer to the Complaint.

IN FEDERAL COURT HERE.

Many Technical Points Raised as to Invalidity of Obligations in Matter of Issue to Old Newbern Railroad. Election Alleged Illegal.

Messrs. Duffie & Koonce, W. D. McIver and E. K. Bryan, solicitors for the respondent commissioners, in the case of D. H. Tolman, complainant, against the Board of Commissioners of Onslow county and E. W. Summerall, treasurer, in which it is sought to enforce payment of interest upon certain bonds voted by the county to the old Wilmington, Onslow and East Carolina Railroad Company, which bonds the commissioners are attempting to repudiate by a suit now in the State courts, yesterday filed their answer to the complaint lodged in the Federal Court here last September.

The complaint is a voluminous document of some twenty typewritten pages. The respondents admit the controversy but say that it is not true that they or the county of Onslow are due holders of interest coupons or are indebted to the complainant in any sum for interest on the said coupons; that the respondents have no knowledge as to whether the complainant is engaged in buying and selling bonds or that he bought those in question in open market without any suggestion of their being void, fraudulent or otherwise invalid, as complained of, and that the complainant is held to strict proof thereof. Further answering the second paragraph of the complaint, the respondents say that it is not true that the complainant bought a large number of bonds of the county of Onslow and interest coupons, nor are the bonds and coupons the bonds and coupons of the county of Onslow. The allegations in the third paragraph of the complaint are also denied, but the respondents say it is true that there is in circulation, in the hands of person unknown, 20 bonds of $1,000 each and 40 of $500 each, numbered from 1 to 60, due on Jan. 1st, 1936, and bearing interest at 6 per cent. until paid, and that the said bonds contain an operation to the county of Onslow to redeem any or all of said series at any interest period after ten years from the date thereof and which are dated Jan. 1st, 1895, but the respondents say that they are advised by counsel, learned in the law, that the said bonds and coupons are not the obligations of the county of Onslow. Further answering the same paragraph, it is alleged that the bonds were not legally executed in that the necessary resolution authorizing the execution was not passed by the commissioners and that the bonds were not signed by a majority of the Board; that the bonds purport to be negotiable instruments when as a matter of fact the act of the Legislature did not authorize such issue; that the county was authorized only to subscribe to certain stock of the railroad and as a matter of fact the county of Onslow never subscribed for a single share of the stock and the bonds were not executed or delivered in payment for subscription to capital stock. It is also alleged that there is a conflict between the act and the bonds, in that one prescribes the payment of interest annually and the other semi-annually. It is further alleged that the bonds were never presented to the Board of Commissioners of Onslow county in meeting assembled for execution but that the said bonds were prepared in pursuance to the resolution and after they were prepared, were delivered to the chairman, who, without authority from the Board, and without the approval of the Board as to form and contents, signed the same and caused the treasurer and clerk of the Board of County Commissioners to affix the corporate seal of the county, and that the said bonds, nor the contents of the same, was even known to the Board of Commissioners until the institution of this suit when the complainant attached to his bill what purports to be a copy of the said bonds; that while it is true the Commissioners have levied a tax and paid the interest until Jan. 1st, 1904, it was done through a misapprehension and that after advice from counsel, an action was started in the Superior Court, enjoining the treasurer from further payment.

For many matters, specifically set out, of which the respondents have no knowledge, they ask that the complainant be held to strict proof thereof. It is denied that the complainant is the legal holder of the bonds and coupons in controversy. It is further set up by the respondents that the act of the Legislature authorizing the bond issue was not passed in the General Assembly according to the constitution, readings the three several days and the "yeas" and "nays" not having recorded. The respondents also set up that a majority of the votes in the bond election in the county were not for the issuance of the bonds and that there were other irregularities in the holding of the said election.

Messrs. Rountree & Carr of this city, represent the complainant in the action and, all in all, not only the interest but the face value of something like $40,000 in bonds is involved in the litigation. The case will likely go to the highest court in the land for final adjudication.

$1.00 Sweaters for children for 75 cents at Polvogt's. †

L'AGILE COTILLON CLUB.

Opening Dance of Season Last Night in Masonic Temple Delightful Affair. The Couples Participating.

A pretty little german in the Masonic Temple last night formally inaugurated the dancing season of 1904-05 for L'Agile Cotillon Club, one of the most popular of Wilmington's social organizations, composed largely of members of the younger society set. The figures were led by Mr. E. S. Nash and delightful music was played by the Wilmington Symphony Club. Those who participated were:

Miss Sarah Catlett with Mr. Paul L. Cantwell.
Miss Maria Maffitt with Mr. George Catlett.
Miss Madeline DeRosset with Mr. Julian R. Clement.
Miss Davis, of Warrenton, with Mr. A. D. Daniel.
Miss Beulah Armstrong with Mr. Haywood R. Faison.
Miss Short, of Washington, with Mr. Norwood Giles.
Miss Nellie McMillan with Mr. Clarence D. Maffitt.
Miss Anna Parsley with Mr. R. L. Meares.
Miss Amy Harlow with Mr. C. L. Myers.
Miss Bessie Gore with Mr. W. L. Smith, Jr.
Miss Katie Maffitt with Mr. Hutchinson, of Richmond.
Miss Cantwell with Mr. Van Buren.
Miss Laura Clark with Mr. S. T. Pender.
Mr. E. S. Nash, Stag.

The dancing continued until well after the midnight hour and all voted the affair one of the most pleasant of the season.

BIDS FOR SUPPLIES WANTED.

Proposals Invited for Number of Articles, Including Three Official Positions.

Elsewhere in to day's STAR will be found an advertisement in which the Board of County Commissioners invite proposals for all county supplies for the fiscal year beginning Dec. 1st.; also for taking charge of county home and farm and operating same under the direction of the Commissioners; for clerk of auditing committee; for janitor for the Court House.

The Commissioners are also asking for bids for certain repairs to the County Home as will appear from plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the Board in the Court House.

BISHOP LEO HAID COMING.

Forty Hours' Devotion Begins at St. Thomas' To-morrow Morning.

Rt. Rev. Leo Haid, O. S. B., will arrive in Wilmington to-day to conduct the special services of Forty Hours Devotion at St. Thomas' Catholic church, which will begin at 10:30. Mass to-morrow and close Tuesday evening. While here the Bishop will administer the sacrement of confirmation to a class of 33. At these services the choir will render a special musical programme.

Bad Negro Stevedore.

George Smith, a bad negro stevedore under the influence of liquor, wanted to make a "rough house" out of the compress yesterday morning and in consequence of his ambition to be the "bully" of the squad in which he was working, he now lies in the common jail of the county awaiting trial in the Superior Court upon commitment of Justice Fowler charging him with an assault with a deadly weapon and carrying a concealed weapon. Smith assaulted two of his fellow workmen at the compress and wound up by brandishing a pistol in their faces. Constable Savage went down to make the arrest and took the revolver off the person of the negro.

Wilmington Young Physician.

Friends in this city of Dr. G. Kirby Collier will be interested in the announcement that lately he has received and has accepted an invitation to read a paper on Epileptic disorders at a national gathering of physicians and surgeons to meet in Boston next Tuesday. Specialists from every land will be in attendance upon the meeting and that Dr. Collier has been invited to address them on one of the important subjects is an honor indeed. Dr. Collier is now located at Craige Colony, Sonyea, N. Y.

Cotton and Naval Stores.

The local cotton market declined to 9½c. for middling yesterday. Receipts were 2,871 bales against 1,761 same day last season. Receipts for the week, 17 283 bales against 23,739 same week in 1903 Since September 1st, 206,347 bales, compared with 211,164 during a corresponding period last season. All items of naval stores for the week show a falling except spirits in which there is a gain from 243 to 868 casks. The receipts of spirits for the crop year also show a gain with rosin and crude.

City Hall Yard.

The grass plat around the police station at the City Hall is being cleaned up and will be re-turfed, after which no trespassing will be allowed and the grounds will be kept in "apple pie" order. Around the public well and for a walk to the street, Contractor Glenn has been engaged to lay a very pretty design of stone tiling. The work has been already commenced.

Polvogt's Co's Bargain Week.

To-day will be the last day of the Polvogt Co.'s Bargain Week. Those who have not attended will do well to patronize them to-day. Their store will remain open until eleven o'clock to-night. Many new and attractive bargains have been added to those already displayed, such as towels, table linen, sheets, pillow cases, carpets, ladies' cloaks and furs. †

$1.65 Carpet, only $1 35; 80 cents Carpets, 60 cents—this week at Polvogt's. 'Tis their Bargain Week. †

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

Young Man from Greene County Knocked Down and Relieved of His Possessions.

HAMAN BLOCKER ARRESTED.

Identified as Negro Seen With Stranger and Identified Positively by the Man Robbed—In Broad Daylight Near Hilton Park.

Walter Farmer, a young white man of excellent family in Greene county who came down from Goldsboro yesterday to "see the sights of the city," as he expressed it, was knocked down, severely beaten and robbed on the highway leading to Hilton Park, just beyond the Hilton Lumber Company's mill, at an early hour, in broad daylight, yesterday afternoon. Haman Blocker, a notoriously bad negro with a record as black as the inky countenance which he bears, is locked up at the station house, charged with the assault and robbery, having been arrested by Policemen A. D. Smith and C. E. Wood before night.

Farmer is perhaps 23 or 24 years of age and came to the city alone. He had been taking in the sights along the wharf, intending to return home on the evening train. He finally wound up in "Dross Neck" and went to Chapman's bar at Second and Brunswick streets, where he was joined by Blocker, who volunteered to act as the young man's guide for further sight-seeing, embracing that opportunity to inveigle him into all sorts of dives, and finally persuading him to go out to the lumber mills and the park further up the river.

Farmer says when he got just beyond the Hilton Lumber Mill, Blocker, who had won his confidence and had secured a pint of gin on the strength of it, quietly told him that he (Blocker) was a robber. Farmer remarded "well, don't rob me," but he said that all at once Blocker took him unawares by grabbing him around the legs and pitching him headlong forwards. The young man said the negro then jumped on him and beat him severely about the head and face, evidently with brass knucks, as his forehead and scalp bore several bruises and one or two slight cuts. The young man said he was dazed at first, but came to his senses as the negro was going through his pockets. He was relieved of $2.80 in cash and a silver open-face watch and chain. Farmer said he begged the negro to give him back part of the property and he could keep the balance, but the black man made no response. The negro went his way and Farmer hurried back into the city as quick as possible. The first officer he met was Policeman A. D. Smith to whom he reported the robbery, giving a description of the negro.

Policemen Smith and Wood immediately went to work on the case and found that Blocker had been seen with the stranger in Chapman's place.

Later a colored woman living in the neighborhood, saw the policemen pass and she called to them, informing the officers that Blocker had told her that he had robbed a countryman. Later the officers located the negro at the house of "Queen Victoria", a notorious colored woman, where he pretended to be in bed asleep. He was made to dress and was brought down to the station house. Young Farmer was sent for and he at once identified Blocker as the man who knocked him down and took what he had. Blocker denies his guilt but the evidence against him appears well nigh conclusive. He will be given preliminary trial in the Mayor's court to-day at noon.

Behrends-Riley Furniture Co.

In the Raleigh telegram to the STAR yesterday morning, the name of Mr. S. Behrends was inadvertently omitted by the correspondent as one of the incorporators of the Behrends-Riley Furniture Co. As a matter of fact, Mr. Behrends, is one of the principal incorporators of the company and brings with his capital into the business a large experience as a furniture dealer as well as a gentleman of fine executive qualifications. The new company will meet for organization in a day or two.

Mr. J. J. Shepard Dead.

Mr. J. J. Shepard, formerly a merchant of this city but latterly of Darlington, S. C., died at his home in Darlington Thursday night of Bright's disease, aged 61 years. The remains were brought to Wilmington yesterday afternoon accompanied by members of the family and Mr. R. E. Dean, a friend. The funeral was conducted yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. P. King and the remains were laid to rest in Oakdale. Mrs. W. J. Reaves is a daughter of the deceased.

Mrs. M. L. Harts Dead.

Friends will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. M. L. Harts, widow of the late John R. Harts, which occurred last night at 7:10 o'clock at her home, No. 413 Queen street. She leaves to mourn their loss, two sons and a daughter—Messrs. J. K. Taylor and R. A. Harts and Mrs. Mary Baldwin. The funeral will be conducted Sunday morning at Riley's Creek church, in Pender county.

What's the use to buy ready-made clothes when you can get the same goods in fine custom tailored garments at the same money? Hundreds of well satisfied customers will tell you how it's done at I. Shrier's, northeast corner of Front and Princess streets "At the sign of the Golden Arm." That's the place. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Nathan O'Berry, of Goldsboro, arrived last night.

— Messrs. M. S. McKinnon and D. R. Coker, of Hartsville, S. C., were here yesterday.

— Mr. H. P. Hevenor, editor of the Columbus County Truckers' Reporter, is in the city on a business trip.

— R. H. Lyon, Esq., of Elizabethtown, and Mr. G. W. Taylor, of Jacksonville, N. C., were among yesterday's arrivals.

— Mr. James H. Cowan left yesterday morning for Goldsboro and other points in Eastern Carolina on theatrical business.

TO ENFORCE PRECAUTIONS.

Vaccination Made Compulsory for Contacts by Sanitary Board.

Merely as a matter of precaution in case the authority should be realsted, the County Sanitary Board, composed of the Commissioners and Drs. D. W. Bulluck, E. J. Wood and W. D. McMillan, met yesterday afternoon and decided upon compulsory vaccination for all persons who had come in contact with a patient sent out to the pest house from near Delgado Thursday afternoon. Dr. McMillan related the case, the patient being a man from Mt. Tabor, N. C., who came to attend a funeral, sat up all night with the corpse and went to the service over the remains the following morning. Dr. McMillan stated that a spread of the disease was hardly probable as the man was not in the contagious state when he was among the people, yet he felt that every precaution should be taken.

Inasmuch as there was a disposition on the part of some to resist the vaccination, the Board adopted a resolution pledging its support to Dr. McMillan, the superintendent of health. There was a discussion of who would be the proper officer to enforce the vaccination order and the chairman of the Board was instructed to ascertain and act accordingly.

MRS. LEIGHTON HUSKE DEAD.

Passed Away at Her Home in Fayetteville Yesterday Morning—Funeral.

The following is from yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer:

"This community is inexpressibly grieved at the death of Mrs. Leighton Huske, who passed away at 4 o'clock this morning, after a brief but painful illness, having been taken very ill at 3 o'clock on Wednesday morning, and never having entirely recovered consciousness.

"Mrs. Huske was Miss Mary Devereux Haigh, the second daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Charles Haigh, a member of St. John's church since early girlhood, reared in our midst, expanding into a womanhood charming in its personal loveliness, and irresistibly winning from the graces of a pure maiden heart and a sunny nature, making her unusually admired and beloved.

"The deceased is survived by her husband, Mr. Leighton Huske, a prominent business man of this city, and two children, a son and daughter, Chas. Haigh Huske and Janie Strange Huske. Of her immediate family there are surviving her parents, Maj. and Mrs. Charles Haigh, her brothers, Messrs. W. H. Haigh, of Mars Bluff, Charles, Phillip W. and John Swann, and her sisters, Mrs. I. W. Hughes and Miss Alice Haigh.

"The funeral service will take place to-morrow morning from St. John's Episcopal church."

NEGRO CONVICT DROWNED.

Fell Overboard from Boat in Tar River, Five Miles from Tarboro.

[Special Star Telegram.]

TARBORO, N. C., Nov. 18.—While standing in a canoe engaged in assisting with the removal of a raft of logs from Bell's bridge over Tar river, about five miles from town, William Young, colored, of Hertford, sentenced to the Edgecombe county roads for twelve months, fell overboard and was drowned this morning. His body has not yet been recovered. The prisoner was freed of handcuffs and shackles at the time of the accident.

MR. EUGENE MARTIN DECLINES.

Will Not Act as Special Master in the Southern Saw Mill Suit.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 18.—Eugene S. Martin, Esq., of Wilmington, has declined the appointment as Special Master by Judges Pritchard and Purnell in the case of the Carolina Northern Railroad Company vs. Southern Saw Mill Company of Robeson county, which was heard in this city last Monday, Judge Purnell at the suggestion of Judge Pritchard, issues an order appointing H. F. Seawell, of Moore county, in his stead.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Property Which Exchanged Hands by Deeds Filed for Record Yesterday.

Geo. H. Howell to Jno. D. Bellamy, for $1 and other considerations, property on east side of Front, 66 feet north of Queen, 66x165 feet in size.

Frank H. Stedman and wife and C. W. Yates and wife to W. M. Cumming and wife for $1,800, property at northeast corner of Ninth and Castle streets, 133½x132 feet in size.

Football Thanksgiving.

The Wilmington team which will meet Newbern on the gridiron in the latter city Thanksgiving Day is practising nightly and getting in fine form. All members of the team are requested to report at Fourth and Orange streets promptly at 7:45 o'clock this evening.

New Mattings received at Polvogt's. †

MAKE YOURSELF COMFORTABLE

BY BUYING ONE OF THESE.

STROUSE & BROTHERS.

The latest in all kinds of Men's Wear you will always find at

J. M. SOLKY & CO.,

One Price Clothiers and Furnishers.

nov 19 tf Masonic Temple Building.

LONG AND SHORT KOMONOS AND DRESSING SAQUES,

From 50c to $2.50.

Muslin Underwear for your inspection, including Corset Covers, Gowns, Chemise, Drawers, &c.

Axford Cut Ladies' Ribbed Vest $1. Ruben's Vests, all wool and cotton. Gents' heavy fleeced Underwear 50c. Gents' heavy Camel's Hair $2 per suit.

Comforts $1 to $2.50. Leaskville all wool Blankets, 11-4 $5; 10-4 $4.50

Glance at our window and see the new shades of costume Velvets, 75c per yard.

PLATT & HAAR,

nov 5 tf we sa The Little Store.

Office in Court House.

The room in the southwest corner of the basement of the Court House building is being fitted up as an office for Dr. W. D. McMillan, county superintendent of health, and it is understood that Dr. McMillan will move in the new office in a few days when it will be in readiness. The entrance to the office will be on Third street, on the south side of the building.

The Wilmington Symphony Orchestra has been reorganized under the management and leadership of the able violinist, Prof. C. C. Brannon, who will drill this organization to the eminent satisfaction of all who may give their work into its hands. Balls, parties, receptions, and wherever good music will be needed instrusted to me will be guaranteed satisfactory or not a cent will be paid for the Orchestra's services. Address Prof. C. C. Brannon, 119 Chestnut street. †

Church Notices.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets, divine services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., by Rev. J. S. Crowley. Sunday school at 4 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public invited to all services.

St. Thomas' Church: First Mass 7 A. M. High Mass, sermon, 10:30 A. M. Vespers, sermon 7:45 P. M.

DIED.

HARTS—At the family residence, No. 412 Queen street, last night at 7:10 o'clock, Mrs. MARTHA L. HARTS, widow of the late John R. Harts.

Funeral Sunday morning at Riley's Creek church, Pender county. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend. †

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

We have moved our Store to 125 and 127 Market street. Friends and customers will please call on us there.

Wilmington Grocery Co.,
Jno. L. Boatwright, Manager.
no 2 tf

Hollowbush Orchestra.

Engagements taken anywhere at reasonable rates. No cut prices, as we have no job-lots to offer.

Prof. Hall has opened a Musical Studio where instructions will be given on the following instruments:
Violin and Clarinet by Wm. Hall.
Cello and String Bass by J. A. Fettel.
Cornet by C. W. Hollowbush.
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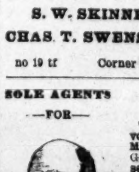

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D. McEACHERN, Chairman.
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Com. New Hanover County,
D. McEACHERN, Chair.
no 19 3t

U. S. ENGINEER'S OFFICE, Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 12, 1904. Sealed proposals for monuments to Generals Nash and Davidson, will be received at this office until 12 M. Dec. 12, 1904, and then publicly opened. Specifications, forms, and information furnished on application. R. P. JOHNSTON, Captain of Engineers.
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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 19.

THE SOUTH WILL STAND PAT.

The STAR has had its say about the proposition of the Republican party to cut down Southern representation in Congress and in the Electoral College. We believe the Roosevelt crowd meant what it laid down in that plank in their national platform and that they will make a big effort to carry it out. We believe that in doing so they will butt into difficulties to be found in the constitution itself and in decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States. If, however, Congress should pass a bill to cut down representation, and it holds good before the Supreme Court, by the beard of the prophet, the South will stand pat in submitting to any reduction rather than endanger its political and social conditions by letting down the bars to ignorant and corrupt suffrage. We will stand pat in self defence.

The Norfolk Virginian-Pilot remarks that with the characteristic ability which marks its editorials, the Baltimore Sun points out that the Southern States are by no means "solid" against the leading policies of the Republican party, but that what really unites the South is "an instinct of self defence" against interference with the local race question. Says the Sun:

"To-day the South is the most American and most patriotic part of the Union. If the circumstances as respects the race question are peculiar, this is not its fault, but the result of historical causes over which it had no control. It desires only to be let alone to solve in peace the economic problems with which it is concerned. It desires to co operate with the other States of the Union in public affairs, sharing the common life of the nation and participating with the rest in its benefits. At present the South enjoys a large measure of material prosperity. Its agriculture, mines, manufactures, lumbering interests and railways are being rapidly developed. Capital is being accumulated locally and outside capital is pouring in. Movement, energy, progress and hopefulness—these are the characteristics of the situation that strike all who travel in Dixie at the present time. The Southern people are, in fact, absorbed in the industrial problems that confront them and do not wish to be diverted into the barren field of national politics. Time was when the Southern States were leaders in the field; but they no longer aspire to such leading, being content to occupy themselves with their local material interests. The statesman who applauded the red ruin of the reconstruction policy on the ground that he wished to reduce the Southern people to such a state of domestic wretchedness that they would no longer be interested in national politics succeeded in his purpose only too well. The losses of the reconstruction era are not yet made good. Material well being is still the engrossing task."

The Virginian-Pilot goes on to say: "The Sun is undoubtedly correct. All that the South wants, needs or asks for is to be let alone to develop its marvelous resources and work out the economic problems with which it alone is concerned. It wishes to be left to solve the race problem in its own peculiar way, believing that its intimate acquaintance with the negro will enable it to solve the problem as the people of no other section of the country can, not having this acquaintance to aid them in the solution."

The Norfolk Landmark adds this to the discussion:

"Naturally, in view of the fact that the Republican national platform contains a plank in favor of inquiry into the suffrage laws of Southern States, interest is newly aroused in the Crumpacker movement to reduce the representation of these States in the lower House of Congress.

"Some political commentators, recalling that the President ignored this subject in all his campaign utterances, are of opinion that nothing will be done. Others think that nothing can be done because of the confused condition of the Federal law bearing on the matter. Still others, like the Boston Transcript (Rep.) strongly depreciate any action along the Crumpacker line, holding that it would defeat its own end.

"The Transcript argues that if Congress reduces Southern representation on the ground that the ballot has been taken away from colored voters, this very legislation of Congress would recognize disfranchisement as an accomplished fact, and would leave the South free to mask disfranchisement complete. The Washington Post, (Ind.) expresses the opinion that the Fifteenth Amendment repeals and supersedes the Fourteenth, and that the whole question of Southern franchise qualifications is a matter for the Courts to decide. At every test in the United States Supreme Court the suffrage provisions of the Southern States have been pronounced legal.

"Thus, it is seen that the question is in a very tangled condition, and that the Crumpacker element, even when the Republican majority in Congress is overwhelming, will not easily accomplish its purpose. Another complication is the fact that Massachusetts and several other Republican States have suffrage qualifications which, while perhaps not operating to reduce the electorate very greatly, cannot be overlooked in any law such as the Crumpackerites would like to pass.

"So far as the South is concered, it seems to us that there is no occasion to worry over the movement for the reduction of its representation. Even if successful, which is not very likely, the movement will not seriously hurt the South. We are just as hopelessly outnumbered in Congress as matters stand now as we should be if our representation was twenty or thirty Congressmen less. And the moment the reduction is effected, the doom of colored suffrage in this part of the country will have been sealed.

"If the Northern and Western statesmen believe that the heavy representation of the South, in proportion of voting population, ought to be corrected in justice to other States, let them proceed as they think best. As the Atlanta Constitution says about another aspect of the political situation, "the South can stand it if the rest of the country can."

This is from the Columbia Record:

The Washington Star, a Republican paper, which is looked upon more or less as an administration organ, recently printed an article asserting that a large body of Republican leaders have determined to push through congress a measure to reduce Southern representation, because existing conditions are intolerable, in that the South refuses to elect Republican congressmen, but sends a solid delegation which always is arrayed solidly against legislation proposed by the Republican party. It declares that Speaker Cannon is favorable to the scheme, because he made speeches in New England calling the attention of the Democrats of that section to the inequality between Northern and Southern States as to the number of votes required to elect a congressman.

The Washington Post, on the other hand, does not think the constitutionality of the suffrage laws of States will be or can be decided by a partizan majority of Congress, but that if the question is decided at all it must be by the Supreme Court. It may be recalled by some that in the contest of Dantzler vs. Lever in the last Congress the Republican election committee took the same ground. The Republican members, personally, were inclined to hold that the Southern suffrage laws discriminated against the negro, but their partisanship was not strong enough to lead them to attempt to usurp the prerogatives of the court. That will not deter radical agitators from their mischief making, and it remains to be seen whether they will succeed in capturing the conservative element and carrying out their plans.

Under the plan of reduction formerly proposed the result would be:

Arkansas, 6 now, 5 then.
Florida, 3 now, 2 then.
Georgia, 11 now, 6 then.
Kentucky, 11 now, 11 then.
Louisiana, 7 now, 4 then.
Mississippi, 8 now, 4 then.
North Carolina, 10 now, 7 then.
South Carolina, 7 now, 3 then.
Tennessee, 10 now, 7 then.
Texas, 16 now, 13 then.
Virginia, 10 now, 7 then.

That would mean a reduction of 33 members.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— As illustrating the vicissitudes of politics, it may be recalled that Theodore Roosevelt once ran behind Henry George in New York.—New York World.

—— A plot against the Panama government has failed. It it probably just a coincidence that the United States has a gunboat at each end of the isthmus.—Washington Post.

—— The "solid South" went as usual, but it will now buckle down to business and go right on putting up mills, building railroads and opening mines.—New York Commercial.

—— Judge Parker may consistently run for office again, in spite of his promise to run but once. He can present all kinds of proof that he did not run the last time.—Washington Post.

—— It is a little out of season, but Atlantic Coast Line stockholders greatly enjoyed the "watermelon" which Farmer Walters cut for them on Tuesday last.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—— The President has set the fashion of entertaining labor and capital at dinner. It is strange that no one ever seems to think about giving a dinner to the consumer.—Washington Post.

—— A special to the Washington Post from Parkersburg, W. Va., says that all Democratic negroes of Fairmount have been warned by the Republicans of their own race to leave the city, on pain of being driven out. This interesting bit of news is respectfully referred to the New York Evening Post and the Boston Transcript, with the recommendation that they demand a congressional investigation.

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TWINKLINGS

— Boarding Mistress—What are those boarders grumbling about now? Servant—They're roasting the beef.—New York Press.

— "He told me he lost every dollar he had on Parker." "Yes, but he didn't have a dollar on Parker."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

— "There's one thing worse than a crowded car." "What's that?" "A car that doesn't stop for you at all."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

— Aunt Julia—Why did you break off your engagement with young Huggins? Pretty Niece—Because he got a fool notion in his head that I intended to marry him.—Chicago News.

— "Old Hunks" is one of the crankiest and most disagreeable men I ever met, but they say he has a delightful home." "Well, it's true. He spends three-fourths of his time away from it."—Chicago Tribune.

— Mrs. Thirdtime—Both of my other husbands had more sense than you. Thirdtime—You must be mistaken, my dear. All three of us were foolish enough to marry you.—Chicago News.

— "It is often said," remarked Miss Coy, "that there is no marrying in heaven, but I wonder what the authority for it is?" "'Fools rush in where angels fear to tread,'" replied the savage bachelor.—Philadelphia Press.

— Statesville Landmark: President Roosevelt may change his attitude toward the South, but we have no idea that he will. There is nothing in the man's history, character or temperament to indicate that he will even do us justice. If he does, we shall give him due credit, but this paper for one has no favors to ask.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 19.

STEAMERS.

Mokta, (Br) 1,549 tons, Cooper, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Anglo Saxon, (Br) 2,671 tons, Perry, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Teignac, (Fr) 1,833 tons, Dolu, Heide & Co.
Fernfield, (Br) 2,025 tons, Lavies, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Kingswood, (Nor) 1,309 tons, Olsen, Heide & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Jno D Paige, 375 tons, Bennett, C D Mafflt.
Chas A Witler, 181 tons, Brownwell, C D Mafflt.
Millie R Bohanan, 579 tons, Lawrence, C D Mafflt.
Alice J Crabtree, 325 tons, Perkins, C D Mafflt.

BARQUES.

Musselcrag, (Br) 1,871 tons, Robinson, Heide & Co.

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"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an advertisement of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney troubles and general debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

IN REPLY TO INQUIRIES, we have pleasure in announcing that Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is like the solid preparation of that admirable remedy in that it cleanses and heals membranes affected by nasal catarrh. There is no drying or sneezing. The Liquid Cream Balm is adapted to use by patients who have trouble in inhaling through the nose and prefer spraying. The price, including spraying tube, is 75 cents. Sold by druggists or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

Football Game, Richmond, Va., Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24, 1904.

On account of the above occasion the Atlantic Coast Line will sell tickets from Wilmington, N. C., to Richmond, Va., and return for $8.05. Tickets on sale Nov. 23rd, good on trains arriving in Richmond before noon of Nov. 24th. Good returning to destination on or before Nov. 26th, 1904. For full information call on ticket agent, or W. J. Craig, G. P. A., H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager, Wilmington, N. C. Persons desiring Pullman reservations can obtain same by calling up phone 160.

Only $17.85 to Montgomery and Return, Seaboard Air Line Railway.

On account of Inter-State Sugar Cane Growers' Association, January 23rd 27th, the Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets to Montgomery, Ala., for $17.85. Tickets on sale January 23rd and 24 h, limited January 30th, 1905.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, November 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 50c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.30 per barrel for bard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 56c; rosin firm at $2.00; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $2.25@3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	105
Rosin	351
Tar	82
Crude turpentine	135

Receipts same day last year—61 casks spirits turpentine, 359 barrels rosin, 118 barrels tar, 98 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm at 9½c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market firm at 10.62½c for middling.

Receipts—2,871 bales; same day last year, 1,761.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina (new crop, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c. Spanish, 70@75c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 11c.

EGGS—Dull at 20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm. Live, 15@17c; dressed, 17@20c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50@60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Money on call steady at 2@2½ per ct.; closing bid 2¼ per cent.; offered at 2½ per cent.; time loans quoted steady; sixty days 3¼@3½ per ct.; ninety days 3¾@4 per ct.; six months 3¾@4 per ct. Prime mercantile paper 4¼@4½ per ct. Sterling exchange strong, with actual business in bankers' bills 486 95@487 for demand and 484.05@484.10 for sixty day bills. The posted rates were 485 and 487¼. Commercial bills were 483¾. Bar silver 58¼. Mexican dollars 46¼. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 104½; do. coupon, 104½; U. S. 3's, registered, 104½; do. coupon, 104¾; U. S. 4's, new, registered, 130¾; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 130¾; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 106¼; do. coupon, 106¼; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 99¾; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 108; Norfolk & Western consol 4's —; Seaboard Air Line 4's 85¾; Southern Railway 5's, 118¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 94; Chesapeake & Ohio 50; Manhattan L 167¾; New York Central 135¾; Reading 75¾; do. 1st pref'd, 87½; do. 2nd pref'd 79¾; Southern Railway 35¾; do. pref'd 93¼; Amalgamated Copper 79¼; People's Gas 108¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 76¼; U. S. Leather 14¼; U. S. Leather preferred, 94¾; Western Union 93; U. S. Steel 37; do. preferred 87¼; Mexican Central 21¾; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 41½; sales 1,800 shares; do. preferred, closed 113; sales 500 shares. Standard Oil 625.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 19@19¾; do. preferred, 38¾@39; do. bonds, fours, —. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 153 asked; do. preferred —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 18.—Spirits turpentine—nothing doing. Rosin—nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 18.—Spirits turpentine was steady at 50c; receipts 506 casks; sales 234 casks; exports 55 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 2,129 barrels; sales 2,029 bbls; exports 2,442 bbls. A, B, C, $2 55; D, $2 60; E, $2 62½; F, $2 67½; G, $2 72½; H, $2 80; I, $3 30; K, $3 80; M, $4 25; N, $4 50; W G, $4 75; W W, $5 00.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The cotton market opened with further improvement in point of activity and rallied pretty steady with final price showing slight changes from the closing quotations of the previous day. The opening was steady at unchanged prices to a decline of three points. Immediately following the call the decline was increased slightly, but while there was further talk of an easier spot situation, local spot men received advices from Atlantic coast sections stating that the declines of yesterday were attracting a more active demand, and that interior holders were unwilling to sell at the lower level. This seemed to encourage the bulls to some extent and there was a fair demand. By midday prices had rallied to about the closing level of yesterday, but shortly afterwards broke again on continued hedging, selling by spot interests, while New Orleans also seemed to be selling. But at about the previous low points there was another rally and the market was finally steady at a decline of one point to an advance of three points. Sales were reported of 300,000 bales. The weekly into-sight figures proved heavier than expected but exports were again full and small receipts are expected for to-morrow.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Cotton—The market was dull at 10.00c; net receipts 45 bales; gross receipts — bales; stock 83,337 bales.

Spot cotton closed dull at 5 points decline; middling uplands 10.00; middling gulf 10 25c; sales — bales.

Futures market closed steady: November 9 57, December 9.63, January 9.71, February 9 79, March 9.84, April 9.88, May 9.96, June 9.97, July 10.00.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 61,918 bales; exports to Great Britain 9,438 bales; exports to France 1,850 bales; exports to the Continent 16,431 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales: stock 229,806 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 380,454 bales; exports to Great Britain 180,910 bales; exports to France 37,894 bales; exports to Continent 127,164 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 3,847,983 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,288,708 bales; exports to France 308,721 bales; exports to the Continent 949,534 bales; exports to Japan 21,041 bales; exports to Mexico 8,401 bales.

Nov. 18.—Galveston, easy at 9 11 16c, net receipts 12,530 bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 5 020 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9.50, net receipts 394 bales; Boston, nominal at 10.05, net receipts 2,576 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 2,871 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10.35, net receipts 75 bales; Savannah, easy at 9 7-16c, net receipts 8,879 bales; New Orleans, easy at 9⅝c, net receipts 18,050 bales; Mobile, steady at 9⅝c, net receipts 1,967 bales; Memphis, quiet at 9 9-16c, net receipts 5,634 bales; Augusta, steady at 9 11-16, net receipts 1,875 bales; Charleston, easy at 9 5-16c, net receipts 2,247 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Flour was quiet and partially lower; Minnesota patents $6 10@6 85. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red $1 21. Options closed firm at a partial 1c net advance. Sales: May closed $1 13½; July closed $1 03¼; December closed $1 18. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 57c f. o. b. afloat. Options closed ½c net lower: May closed 51¼; December closed 58c. Oats—Spot market steady; mixed, 36@32 pounds, 34½@35½c. Rice steady. Pork steady. Lard easy; Western steam $7 45; November closed $7 45, nominal; refined easy; to the continent $7 60. Tallow steady. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 4½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4½; molasses sugar 3½c; refined strong. Butter firm; creamery, common to extra 15@25; held, common to extra 16@23c. Cheese irregular; skims, full to light, 3@9½c. Eggs steady; State, Pennsylvania, nearby selected white, extra 35@38; Southern 25@28. Potatoes firm; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 75@2 00; State and Western $1 40@1 60; Jersey sweets $1 50@3 25. Cabbages firm; per barrel crate 50@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, 10@15c. Peanuts steady; fancy handpicked 5¼c; other domestic grades 3¼@5¼c. Molasses firm. Cotton seed oil was about steady with a fair trade. Quoted: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 20c; prime summer yellow 37@27½c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white and winter yellow 30@31c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Reiterated reports of damage in the Southwest caused active covering of wheat today and resulted in a firm market. At the close both the December and May deliveries were up ½c. Corn is down ¼@1c. Oats are up a shade. Provisions are practically unchanged.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Cash prices: Flour easy. Wheat—No. 3 spring $1 10@1 15; No. 3 spring $1 03@1 13; No. 2 red $1 13¼@1 14¾. Corn—No. 2 53@45c; No. 3 yellow 57¾c. Oats—No. 2—c; No. 3 white, 31@32¾c; No. 3 white 31@32¾c. Rye—No. 3 79c. Mess pork, per bbl., $11 10@11 15. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 95@6 97½. Short rib sides, loose, $6 77½@7 02½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $6 87½@7 00. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 24.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 3 December $1 13½@1 10½, 1 11¼, 1 10, 1 10½; May $1 10½@1 10¾, 1 11¾, 1 10¾, 1 11 11¾; July 97¾@97¾, 98¾, 97¼, 98¾c. Corn—December 50@50¼, 50¼, 49¾, 49⅝c; May 45¾@45⅞, 45⅞, 45¾, 45¾c; July 45⅝@45¾, 45⅝@45¾, 45⅝@45¾, 45¾c. Oats—December 28¾, 28⅞, 28⅝@28¾, 28¾c; May 31¼@31¾, 31¾, 31¼, 31¼c; July 31½, 31½, 31⅜@31⅝, 31½. Mess pork, per bbl—Jan'y $12 60, 12 65, 12 57½, 12 60; May $12 65, 12 70, 12 63½, 12 67½. Lard, per 100 lbs—January $7 07½, 7 03½, 7 00, 7 02½; May $7 17½, 7 17, 7 15, 7 17. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $6 50, 6 52½, 6 50, 6 50; May $6 63½, 6 65, 6 63½, 6 65.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 8¾c; mild steady; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at decline of 10@15 points. The close was steady at a net loss of 15@20 points. Sales 82,500 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 18.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business; prices six points lower; American middling fair 5.66d; good middling 5.44d; middling 5.34d; low middling 5.22d; good ordinary 5 08d; ordinary 4.92d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,300 bales American. Receipts 19,000 bales, including 12,000 bales American.

Futures opened easy and closed easy; American middling (g o c): November 5.25d; December and November 5.23d; December and January 5.23d; January and February 5.25d; February and March 5.27d; March and April 5.28d; April and May 5.30d; May and June 5.32d; June and July 5.33d; July and August 5.32d.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.
Stmr A P Hurt, Ward, Fayetteville, Jno S McEachern.

CLEARED.

Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.
Stmr E A Hawes, Robeson, Fayetteville, J A Munn.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—341 bales cotton, 37 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—481 bales cotton, 18 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,465 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 15 barrel rosin, 20 barrels tar, 24 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—241 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 20 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—43 bales cotton, 80 barrels rosin.

Steamer Tar Heel—45 bales cotton, 13 casks spirits turpentine, 80 barrels rosin, 36 barrels tar, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer E. A. Hawes—220 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 27 barrels rosin, 3 barrels tar, 40 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. J. Johnson—24 bales cotton, 53 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin, 19 barrels tar.

Steamer Leo—8 casks spirits turpentine, 49 barrels rosin.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—8 casks spirits turpentine, 30 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—2,871 bales cotton, 105 casks spirits turpentine, 351 barrels rosin, 52 barrels tar, 135 barrels crude turpentine.

Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect pill. Only 25c, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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Common folk eat for enjoyment
And everybody eats

Uneeda Biscuit 5¢

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

WINTER'S APPROACH

A day of sunshine now and then, but these frosty mornings admonish us that sable Winter is almost here. That suggests the comforts and satisfaction of one of our modern heaters. We have them this year of every shape and kind—just the one to suit. Or, perhaps, it's a cooking stove or range. We have those too, And the point we are making for them all is that they furnish an even maximum of heat with the greatest economy of fuel.

We are yours just now for stoves and ranges, but all the time for hardware and agricultural implements. Let us serve you.

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El Balto Cigars.
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Little Va. Tips.
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You get the best.
You get it promptly.
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Hot drinks now being served at our fountain, the most popular place in town.

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200 Barrels September Mullets.

A full line of Groceries.

Prices and samples on application.

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Don't fail to see Leger Meyer before buying clothes to order. The cheapest and best for the money. Largest line of pants goods in the city to select from.

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We never did.

That's why we have so much confidence in our Black Suits.

If the quality is right, there's no more generally useful Suit than a black one.

Good for business—good for any occasion.

Plenty of style and quality about our Black Suits.

Single or Double Breasted Cheviot and Worsted Suits,

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Cutaway or Prince Albert Suits.

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CEMENT, CEMENT, CEMENT, CEMENT,

Domestic and Imported. Car load lots a specialty.

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RUBBER BOOT, HIP AND KNEE. Every Pair Guaranteed.

Big lot just received. Get our price before buying. Will not be undersold.

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Just received a thousand pairs of our celebrated Godman School Shoes. Sizes 8½ to 11, $1. Sizes 11½ to 2, $1.25.

These are all solid leather, heavy or light soles, made with low school heels that the children like so well.

Sold Only at

SOLOMON'S SHOE STORE.

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Style, Quality and Price.

If you want good goods at a fair price see my line of Fancy Clocks Silverware, Cut Glass, Fancy China, Lamps, Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, etc.

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Fox River Butter.

Twenty 30-pound tubs of Fox River Butter. Also 1,500 kegs steel cut and wire Nails, 203 barrels Mullets, 20,000 bags Salt.

We are headquarters. Get our prices before purchasing.

D. L. GORE CO.,

Wholesale Grocers and Importers,

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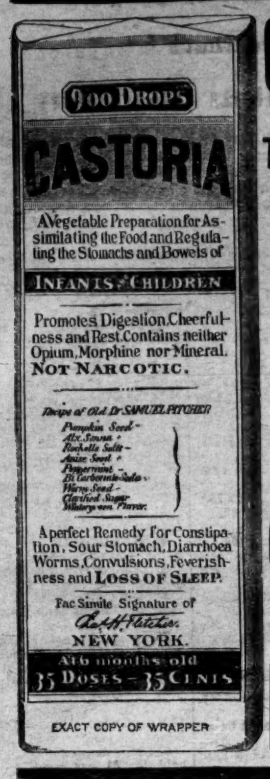
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—It is announced from Raleigh that Secretary Parker, of the Farmers' State Alliance, says work will be resumed to-day, when State Lecturer H. M. Oates goes to Johnston, to reorganize the order in that county, where there are now perhaps half a dozen sub-alliances. The work will be pushed in all parts of the State hereafter.

— Charlotte Observer: The Washington correspondent of the Raleigh Post says that ex-Senator Marion Butler is to be an administration favorite and that he may be given a foreign berth. There is no losing Butler, and the chances are that he'll get the best that's going, whether it be an an official position or "influence."

—W B. Rodman, of Charlotte, who has charge of the matter of the sale of the State swamp lands held by the board of education, says that depredations on these lands have been considerably checked and are not so extensive as they have been. Of course there are alway depredations, not only on these lands, but on the lands of private persons.

—It is stated that the estate of the late O. L. Davis, who was killed at Piney Church, Davidson county, by his brother-in-law, Clay Grubbs, is valued at between $12,000 and $15,000. It was thought at the time of his death that Mr. Davis carried several thousand dollars insurance on his life, but this was an error. He had made application for a policy, but the same was not in effect at the time of his death.

— At Raleigh on Wednesday Grand Secretary John C. Drewry, of the Grand Lodge of Masons, stated that the Masonic Temple fund now reaches $100,000 and that $20,000 more is needed. It is decided that work on the building will begin in the early Spring. It may be that a canvasser will then be put to work in the State. Last year the Hon. Francis D. Winston made a very successful canvass.

— Catawba County News: Mr. M. M. Cline was in Newton last week, and in a conversation said he generally eschewed the raising of cotton, but this year he thought he would try his hand. The following was the result: Five bales of cotton, weighing 510, 532, 544, 428 and 413 pounds, and 800 pounds of seed cotton not ginned. Mr. Cline said that he used 400 pounds of fertilizer to the acre, and that his cotton opened two weeks ahead of others in his section.

— The John B. Gordon Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, of Winston-Salem, has accepted the design of Delahunty, of Philadelphia, for a Confederate monument to be erected in Winston-Salem at a cost of $3,000. The monument will have a sub-base six feet square, a total heigth of 23 feet, surmounted by a life-size figure in granite, of a type of the Confederate private soldier. It is proposed to have the unveiling during the month of September, 1905, and make the occasion one of the most imposing ever witnessed in the city.

— On Thursday night Mr. Osmond L. Barringer reached Charlotte in his Oldsmobile, after having completed a run of 105 miles, from Greensboro to Charlotte, in nine hours, without once stopping his engine. So far as the Observer knows, this is the record for this State and it should stand as the first long distance non stop record in North Carolina. As to the roads he said: "Fair, except from Lexington here, when we were at times running hub deep in mud. The last 23 miles, from Concord were covered after dark, without lights, in two hours."

— Charlotte Observer: On account of the unusual atrociousness of the Clarkton crime it was not surprising that there was danger of lynching the perpetrators of it, therefore, it is gratifying that mob violence was averted. While no people are entitled to special commendation for upholding the law, it is, under the circumstances, creditable to the citizens of Bladen county that they did not summarily punish Sellars and Brown. The fact that the law was allowed to take its course and that in due time and without unnecessary delay the men paid the extreme penalty for their crime will doubtless materially aid in discouraging future mob spirit. As it turned out, there is nothing to regret in connection will the fate of the criminals, whereas the hands of many men might have been stained with their blood without any resultant compensation.

— State Horticulturist Harold Hume, of Raleigh says that the tests of different varieties of cabbages at the William Dunn Farm at Newbern are so far succeeding very well. The stand is good and the first week in December the plants will be set out in the field. There are 270 varieties, the greater number of which are unknown in North Carolina. Prof. Hume is preparing descriptive sheets about the apples of this State. These are on cards and a section of the peel of each variety of apples is fastened on the card. The skins of apples preserve their rich colors for a great length of time, even as long as 15 years. Prof. Hume desires the address of all persons in North Carolina who grow pecans or who contemplate growing these profitable nuts. He is preparing special illustrations of the best varieties of pecans. He will put a collection of all the kinds of these nuts in the State Museum.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from throat and lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

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No. 1 Chestnut, Anthracite - - $6.50 per ton
Jellico Coal, best - - - - - - - - 5.50 " "
Virginia Bituminous Lump - - - 5.00 " "

We respectfully solicit your orders.

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of Wilmington, N. C.

Organized March, 1899.

Capital and Surplus	$ 450,000
Deposits	1,880,000
Total Assets	2,570,000

Our large capital and assets enable us to offer customers exceptional security and facilities.

$500,000 to lend on approved paper.

H. C. McQUEEN, President,
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Four hundred and fifty new ready to wear Hats just arrived. Also a big lot Cloaks, Waists, Skirts and Petticoats. Our line is now complete and everything is up to date in style and prices. Our stock is much larger than before, and am sure we can make it to your advantage if you call on us before buying.

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is found in the Extra Quality cigar at an after-dinner smoke. It burns easily, draws freely, is chock full of delicious aroma, and has just the soothing quality "mere man" to aid his digestion of his heaviest meal. Not a pang to his purse, for this high class cigar sells for 5c the one, $2 the box of fifty. Always ask for the Extra Quality.

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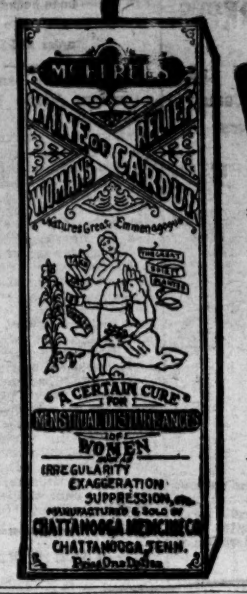

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Wine of Cardui is a mild medicine, but a powerful tonic that is unrivalled in its success in the treatment of the diseases peculiar to women.

Over 1,500,000 suffering women have been cured of troubles that ordinarily are thought to require the expensive treatment of specialists, simply by taking this great woman's tonic.

Wine of Cardui recommends itself to modest women of moderate means, because it can be taken in the privacy of the home without submitting to a humiliating local examination and subsequent dangerous treatment.

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If you are a victim of female weakness in any form Wine of Cardui is the medicine that you should take and you cannot afford to lose any time in starting the treatment. Your trouble is ever growing worse—never better.

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ALL DRUGGISTS SELL $1.00 BOTTLES

— In the Superior Court at Asheville on Thursday Judge Shaw sentenced Isaac Walker to thirty years in the penitentiary. He was convicted of murder in the second degree upon an indictment for murdering his wife.

DISCRIMINATING LADIES.

Enjoy Using Herpicide on Account of Its Distinctiveness.

The ladies who have used Newbro's Herpicide speak of it in the highest terms, for its quick effect in cleansing the scalp of dandruff and also for its excellence as a general hair-dressing. It makes the scalp feel fresh and it allays that itching which dandruff will cause. Newbro's Herpicide effectively cures dandruff, as it destroys the germ that causes it. The same germ causes hair to fall out, and later baldness; in killing it, Herpicide stops falling hair and prevents baldness. It is also an ideal hair dressing, for it lends an aristocratic charm to the hair that is quite distinctive. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages there should be cleanliness.

Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

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For your breakfast or supper you have the following dishes to select from:

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Fried, Stewed or Raw.
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is the knowledge of shoes including knowledge of leather. Handicraft in making, economy of production and artistic originality of design. Nowhere are these features so plainly manifested as in our Shoe Department. Come to see us and we will take pleasure in teaching you.

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Ladies' Shoes for comfort and wear. Try our Vicious $1.50 grade and you will wear no other. Our $2.00 and $2.50 line of Shoes are

THE BEST IN THE CITY.

In Children's Shoes we have them in absolutely solid leather from 50 cents to $1.25.

Ask to see our line of Crossett $3.50 Shoes for men.

Ladies' Cloaks, Furs, Skirts, Tailor-Made Suits.

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Every ton of PERUVIAN contains more than SIX HUNDRED POUNDS OF PLANT FOOD.

If you use PERUVIAN once you will want no more manufactured chemical fertilizers, which do your land no PERMANENT GOOD.

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REHDER'S,

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The Store that pays your car fare.

EXTREMELY STRONG VALUES IN DRESS FABRICS FOR 50c

It has been our aim this season to offer the best to be had in Dress Fabrics for 50c. We have gathered together the most complete assortment ever shown in this city. Nearly every kind mentioned here is sold at other stores for 75c. If you can't come to see them, write to-day for samples. These are just a few: 36-inch Mohair in Black, Cream, Garnet and Navy. Canvas Voiles and Granite Cloth in several staple shades. 38-inch Henrietta in Brown, Green and Black, strictly all Wool. 36-inch Zibeline mixtures in Blue, Red, Brown and Gray. 36-inch Manish Suiting in Blue, Green, Garnet, Brown and Black, strictly all Wool.

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Write to-day for samples. Mail orders given prompt attention.

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Wilmington and Southport Steam Boat Line.

Winter Schedule.

Steamer Wilmington leaves Wilmington Monday, Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 9:15, A M.

Leave Southport, 2 P. M.

Leave Southport Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 A. M.; leave Wilmington at 3 P. M.

Extra trip leave Wilmington on Thursday at 5 A. M.; Leave Southport, 3 P. M. Saturday, freight received from 7 a. m. until 5 P. M.

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A Delightful Pleasure.

Nothing pleases a man more than a good, clean shave. We give the cleanest shave obtainable, not only in point of keen razors, but as to real cleanliness. We use a clean towel for each man and everything else is thoroughly antiseptic.

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Sheet Metal Work

of every description.

MILL AND STACK WORK.

Metal Roofing and Hot Air Furnace Work, Plumbing, Steam and Gas Fitting.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, September 6th, 1904. Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 126,158 55
Furniture and fixtures	$100 00	100 00
Demand loans		47,550 00
Due from banks and bankers		29,554 29
Cash items		9,361 26
Gold coin		75 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency		379 17
National bank notes and other U. S. notes		781 00
Total		$505,959 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	13,127 61
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Deposits subject to check	405,400 86
Demand certificates of deposit	35,788 00
Cashier's checks out standing	2,578 15
Certified checks	100 00
Total	$505,959 32

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th day of September, 1904.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
L. B. RODGERS,
JOHN H. KUCK, } Directors.
ROBERT B. BELLAMY,

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Ginger Ale.

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SOLE AGENT.

A. C. L. Crossing.

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Turkeys,

CRANBERRIES,

CELERY,

OF COURSE.

Carpenter Grocery,

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WINTER SCHEDULE SUBURBAN LINE.

In Effect November 13, 1904.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville.	Leave W. Beach.
†7.00 A. M.	8 15	
10 00 A. M.		11.00 A. M.
3 00 P. M.		5 00 P. M.
*6 10 P. M.	7.30 P. M.	
*10 00 P. M. (Sat'day)	10.30 P. M. (Sat'day only)	

*Will go to Beach on request.
†Daily except Sunday.

FREIGHT.

(Daily except Sunday)

†3.00 P. M.	5 00 P. M.

The Company is not responsible for operation of this schedule.

GOLF GROUNDS.

(Daily except Sunday)

Leave Front and Princess Sts	Leave Grounds
†3:30 P. M.	3:10 P. M.

CITY LINE.

Car for S. A. L. depot will leave Front and Princess streets daily at 3:00 P. M. no 13 tf

Wood, Coal

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BUILDING SUPPLIES.

Our friends are requested to 'phone Seven, Eight, Nine instead of Six, Four, Five, the latter number having been discontinued.

We have now on hand builder's supplies of all kinds, and 100,000 Shingles at attractive figures.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect June 11, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 15 a m	6 40 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 06 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 56 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 35 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 27 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 06 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 35 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 20 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 22 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk		9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 35 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 05 p m
Ar Wilson	11 38 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	*Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 20 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	3 50 a m	9 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville		8 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa		7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	*Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	8 14 p m	5 56 a m
Ar Florence	7 20 p m	9 35 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 58 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound *Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar 5 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 30 p m	Ar 1 35 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 30 p m
Ar Newbern	6 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC National Bank, at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, November 10th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 916,988 68
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		400 45
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits		104,800 00
Bonds, securities, etc		39,850 60
Banking houses, furniture, and fixtures		30,000 00
Other real estate owned		10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		135,895 07
Due from State Banks and Bankers		130,082 68
Due from approved reserve agents		71,627 95
Notes of other National Banks		9,460 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		624 69
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specie	$35,366 60	
Legal tender notes	39,694 00	75,060 60
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		9,941 50
Total		$1,649,192 02

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	78,886 70
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National Banks	186,498 91
Due to State Banks and Bankers	120,050 88
Dividends unpaid	329 00
Individual deposits subject to check	744,406 49
Certified checks	800 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	12,980 04
United States Deposits	104,800 00
Total	$1,649,192 02

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, J. W. Yates, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

W. C. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

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JNO. S. ARMSTRONG,

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 19.

EXPLOSIONS AT A CHICAGO GAS PLANT.

Four Persons Killed and a Score of Others Injured—All Buildings Near the Demolished Plant Badly Damaged.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18—Four persons were killed and a score of others were injured by a series of gas explosions that completely destroyed the plant of the Pyle Electric Headlight Company in South Chicago to-day. The shocks of the explosions were so severe that all the buildings near the demolished plant were badly damaged, windows were shattered for blocks, and persons walking in the streets were thrown from their feet. Over-pressure on tanks containing gas is believed to have caused the accident.

The dead—Ralph Wells, superintendent for the Pyle Electric Headlight Company; Amos Watkins, assistant superintendent; George Muehl, draftsman; Thomas Jennings.

The fatally injured—William M. Maloney, blown from third floor of the building body crushed; Alfred Cox, internally injured.

Many persons who were walking in the street near the plant were hurt by flying pieces of debris and were taken to their homes in carriages before their names could be learned.

All of the dead were buried under tons of burning timbers and hot brick and iron, making it impossible to remove their bodies for hours after the accident occurred. Firemen poured water on the portion of the building in which the dead were thought to be buried. The flames were subdued sufficiently to permit of the four dead bodies being removed from the debris.

The scene of the explosion is the old Hyde Park gas plant which passed into the hands of the People's Gas Light and Coke Company several years ago with the consolidation of the gas interests in Chicago. Through leases the big plant is occupied partly by the Pyle National Electric and Light Company, which is largely engaged in supplying illumination for railroad coaches. This illuminant is forced into small retorts which when attached under the floor of a car will supply it with light for months. In order to make this possible the retorts are subjected to an extremely high pressure. It was such a tank that caused the first explosion. Without warning of any kind it burst. Amid the debris workmen were blown out of the structure far into the street about the building. Before any one realized what had happened, retort after retort exploded in such rapid succession that it was almost impossible to distinguish the detonations. There were nine such explosions in all, which left the plant in flames. Hard fighting on the part of fully a hundred firemen finally subdued the flames. The total loss is about $75,000.

SHIPWRECKED MARINERS.

Crew of the Schooner Emily H. Naylor Rescued and Landed at New York by Steamer Grenada.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—After eighteen hours in an open boat six men of the Philadelphia schooner Emily H. Naylor were rescued by the steamer Grenada which arrived here to-day.

The Naylor was abandoned about 300 miles from Bermuda, after a hopeless struggle with the hurricane which passed up the coast last Sunday night. Her sails had been ripped away by the wind, her foreboom broken and water was pouring into her hold in a flood through the center-board box when the crew got away in the life-boat, leaving all their personal effects behind. They had been drifting about for eighteen hours when sighted by the Grenada. The hurried departure left no time to provision the life-boat and the men were in desperate straits when the steamer came to their assistance.

The Naylor was under command of Captain John F. Wilson and left New York in ballast November 4th for a Virginia port. The vessel was off Hog Island, Virginia, when the storm struck her.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Letter to John S. Mosby Expressing Kindly Feeling to the South.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Col. John S. Mosby received a few months ago a letter from Judge Roulhac, of Birmingham, Ala., commenting on the attitude of the Southern people toward the President personally. Col. Mosby sent the letter to Oyster Bay, as he thought the sentiments expressed in it by a Confederate veteran would be gratifying to the President. He received a reply, which he did not publish during the campaign, as he felt that the President's motive in writing the letter would be misconstrued. The letter is as follows:

"OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Sept. 10, 1904.

My Dear Col. Mosby: That is a fine letter of Roulhac's and I appreciate it. I have always been saddened rather than angered by the attacks upon me in the South. I am half a Southerner myself, and I can say with all possible sincerity that the interests of the South are exactly as dear to me as the interests of the North.

"Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

"Col. John S. Mosby, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C."

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

For the Week Ending Friday, November 18th, 1904.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending November 18th, 1904:

	1904.	1903.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week ...	380,454	451,146
Total receipts to this date	3,847,982	3,261,869
Exports for week..	295,923	328,858
Total exports to date	2,571,400	2,210,373
Stock in all U. S. ports..........	929,806	846,436
Stock at all interior towns..........	642,066	416,634
Stock in Liverpool,	———	288,000
American afloat for Great Britain ...	———	343,000

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STEAMER BURNED TO WATER'S EDGE.

Freighter Mohawk, New York to New London, Destroyed in Long Island Sound.

ONLY ONE LIFE WAS LOST.

All Others of the Crew and Two Women on Board Were Rescued by the Steamer Boston and Landed at Fall River, Mass.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—While bound down Long Island sound on one of her regular passages between this city and New London, Conn., the freight steamer Mohawk, of the Central Vermont railroad, took fire off Horton's Point, L. I., and was burned to the water's edge early to-day. Her crew, except the watchman, was rescued by a passing steamship and taken to Fall River, Mass. It is believed the Mohawk will be a total loss and that little if any of her cargo will be saved.

The Mohawk left New York last evening with a full cargo of general merchandise. She had twenty-five persons on board including two women. As the steamer passed Horton's Point the light-house keeper saw flames breaking from the boat and a few minutes later she was wrapped in flames. Assistance was near at hand in the form of the Fall River line steamer Boston which had closely followed the Mohawk down the sound, and those on board the burning steamer with the one exception noted were soon taken off. The flames had passed beyond all control, however, and she was abandoned to her fate. A few moments after the Boston had resumed her interrupted voyage there came the sound of a heavy explosion and a mass of blazing debris, accompanied by a burst of flames shot up from the centre of the abandoned freighter. When dawn came the steamer was lying fast on the bar off Horton's Point and only a portion of her upper works showed above the surface. This gradually disappeared as the fire ate its way into the hull of the boat. A watchman who was on duty when the flames were discovered failed to reach the Boston when she stood by to give assistance, and it is supposed that he lost his life.

The Mohawk was a comparatively new steamer, having been built at Chester, Pa., in 1896. She was of 2,150 net tons.

FALL RIVER, MASS, Nov. 18.—The steamer Boston brought 27 persons from the Mohawk including 25 of her crew and two women, wives of officers of the Mohawk. The night watchman of the steamer, a Swede named Larsen, was lost. It is supposed he was burned to death.

The Mohawk's men said the fire was discovered by those in the pilot house shortly after midnight. It was pretty well forward and the crew were at once sent to their stations to fight the flames. The great heat, however, prevented them from getting close to the blaze, which spread and steadily drove back those who opposed it until the entire vessel was doomed. The Mohawk's cargo contained a quantity of oil and gasoline.

THE WORLD'S COTTON.

Total Visible Supply as Shown by Secretary Hester's Statement.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 18.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued to-day shows the total visible supply to be 3,658,182 against 3,431,528 last week and 3,186,963 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 3,129,182 bales against 2,907,528 last week and 2,698,963 last year; and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 529,000 against 514,000 last week and 488,000 last year. Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,769,000 bales against 1,636,000 last year; in Egypt 139,000 against 136,000 last year; in India 184,000 against 132,000 last year, and in the United States 1,566,000 against 1,283,000 last year.

EXCITES GREAT INTEREST.

Trial of Alleged Murderers of Clayton Williams at Wrightsville, Ga.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WRIGHTSVILLE, GA., Nov. 18.—The case of Walker, Price, Outlaw, Morman, Mrs Williams and Mrs. Edge, for the alleged murder of Clayton Williams, previously reported in these dispatches, was called in court here to-day. The case against Williams was postponed.

On motion the court discharged the two women and Morman on the ground of insufficient evidence. They were, however, put under bond to appear as witnesses against Walker, Price and Outlaw, the case against whom will be taken up next week. Intense interest has been aroused in the case and the town is full of country people.

NATIONAL BANKS.

Secretary of Treasury Calls for Percentage of Government Deposits.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Secretary Shaw has announced a call upon National banks holding government deposits to the amount of 25 per cent. of the holdings, ten per cent. to be paid on or before January 15th next and 15 per cent. on or before March 15th next. This the secretary estimates, will bring into the treasury about $35,000,000. This will make a working balance of approximately $50,000,000.

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports, since September 1st:

Galveston, 1,222,153; New Orleans, 819,076; Mobile, 126,543; Savannah, 858,845; Charleston, 133,141; Wilmington, 201,232; Norfolk, 288,466; Baltimore, 5,485; New York, 4,194; Boston, 5,652; Newport News, 100; Philadelphia, 1,724; Brunswick, 67,-865; Pensacola, 45,874; Port Arthur, 21,367; Port Townsend, 4,908; San Francisco, 16,133; Portland, Ore., 3,482; Eagle Pass, 1,688; Laredo, 2,012; minor ports, 4,544; miscellaneous, 3,555. Total, 3 847,982 bales.

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JAPS CONTINUE THEIR ASSAULTS.

But Russian Commander Telegraphs the Emperor Port Arthur Can Hold Out Several Months

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 18—General Stoessel has telegraphed to Emperor Nicholas that Port Arthur can hold out several months.

TOKIO, Nov. 18., 3 P. M.—A telegram from Moji reports the destruction of another Russian arsenal and magazine at Port Arthur. The Japanese learned, it is said, the location of the arsenal and centered their artillery fire upon it. After dropping two hundred shells in the locality they succeeded in blowing it up. The Japanese are widening their saps and are using them to move their guns forward.

The Russians continue their spirited sorties, using hand grenades in their attacks upon the saps.

Attack Repulsed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 18.—A dispatch from Lieut. Gen. Sakahorff says that during the night the Japanese attacked the Russian position in front of Poutiloff Hill, but were repulsed.

TRIAL OF NAN PATTERSON.

Two Witnesses of the Tragedy in the Cab Turn Up—Jury Not Yet Completed. Court Adjourned Until Monday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18—Although two full court days had been taken up in securing seven of the twelve jurors who will decide the fate of Nan Patterson, the former show girl who is charged with the murder of Cæsar Young, the incidents in the court room have tended to keep up interest in the case. The receipt of a letter telling of an important new witness and the finding, during the examination of talesmen, of another person believed to be an eye-witness, were the principal of these incidents. The text of the letter which Mr. Levy received was given out to-day. It was written in German and signed "L. Black." The writer claims to have witnessed the struggle in the cab and says that he saw Young turn the revolver against his own breast and fire.

"I saw with my own eyes, on the morning of June 4th, a man in the cab with a pistol in his hand and a woman was seated along side of him," says the writer. "I saw the man raise the pistol which was in his hand; I heard the shot and I ran as fast as I could. I kept quiet until now because I thought you had other witnesses; but for the sake of the truth I must write you this. I am willing, should occasion demand it, and if you think it worth while, to appear before Mr. Jerome and yourself, and say that I saw the man hold the pistol in his hand. I am ready to take an oath on this for the sake of justice."

The five jurors required to complete the panel were secured to-day. After cautioning the jurors not to discuss the case among themselves and directing them not to read newspaper accounts of the trial, Justice Davis adjourned court until Monday.

During the search for the twelve jurors, eighty-nine talesmen were examined and the defence used twenty-eight of the thirty challenges which it is allowed by law. The prosecution had sixteen of its challenges left when the last juror was chosen.

During the afternoon Foreman Hendrick, of the jury, learned that a member of his family was critically ill and he asked to be excused from jury duty. No action was taken on his request today, but the remaining members of the special panel of talesmen were instructed to be present when the case is resumed next week.

CHICAGO TRUCK DRIVERS.

The Strike Spreading—A Clash Between Police and Strike Sympathisers.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The strike of furniture wagon drivers, which led to street riots yesterday, spread to-day to other factories in the Furniture Manufacturers Association. Picket lines were established by the strikers and several factories were practically in a state of siege, the guarding unionists warning away drivers of lumber and coal wagons loaded with material and fuel for the beleaguered plants. The truck drivers union, the largest local organization of teamsters in the world, was drawn into the strike of the furniture wagon drivers to-day. Fifteen of the members were ordered to quit work because their employers had refused to sign the wage agreement of the furniture drivers. Seven more firms were temporarily tied up by this action. A trip made by wagons of the Johnson Chair Company, whose drivers were attacked yesterday, caused a clash between the police and strike sympathizers. Stones were thrown and a futile attempt was made to blockade an outlying street. The police were able to disperse the rioters.

BISHOP DONAHUE

Will Receive Major Portion of Estate Valued at More Than $250,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18. The Right-Rev. P. J. Donahue, Roman Catholic Bishop, of Wheeling, W. Va., will receive the major portion of the estate of Sarah C. Tracy, valued at more than a quarter of a million dollars, under the terms of the will filed in the surrogate's office to-day. The will requests that Bishop Donahue use the estate to erect and maintain an industrial school for unfortunate poor in memory of the testator's grandfather, Keating Rawson, and two orphan asylums in memory of her dead brother, Edward Tracy.

Bishop Donahue is bequeathed $1,-000 together with all the books, paintings, horses and carriages owned by the testatrix for his own use. He is to sell her rare laces and jewels and devote the proceeds to charity.

Bishop Donahue is made residuary legatee and the testatrix explains that he is to account to no person.

A BOY MISSING.

Visitor from Richmond, Va., at the World's Fair in St. Louis

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 18.—Nothing has been learned by the police as to the whereabouts of Stephen Putney of Richmond, Va., who has been missing since Wednesday night from the home of friends with whom the boy had been stopping while visiting the World's Fair. Young Putney, whose family is prominent, had with him jewelry and money to the value of about $500, and his disappearance has caused apprehension of foul play.

Hugh Smith Thompson, comptroller of the New York Life Insurance Company, and former governor of South Carolina who has, been critically ill during the past week, was still alive yesterday.

TO AID STRIKING TEXTILE WORKERS.

American Federation of Labor by Unanimous Vote Comes to Relief of Sufferers.

WITH CONTRIBUTION OF $75,000

Rejoicing in Fall River—Manufacturers Say the Action Will Have No Effect With Them—They Will Not Make Any Concession.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—By unanimous vote the delegates to the American Federation of Labor to-day decided to aid the striking textile workers of Fall River, Mass., to the extent of $25,000 per week for three weeks. If by the end of this time it is found that the strike is not broken the executive council will, if it sees fit, continue the donation. The money for the purpose is to be raised by an assessment of one cent each week levied on each member of every labor organization affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Stirring and impassioned addresses on behalf of the workers of the Fall River district were delivered. Delegate Driscoll, of Boston, put the motion before the house, which was carried amid cheers of the entire convention. Many delegates arose in their seats and on behalf of the organizations which they represented, offered then and there to hand over to Delegate Golden checks to cover the amount of their respective union assessment.

Delegate Mary Kenny O'Sullivan, of the National Woman's Trade Union League, depicted the scenes there since the strike began. She characterized the conditions existent as more terrible than those attendant on the anthracite coal strike. One meal a day, consisting of soup and two slices of bread, was, she alleged, the fare of 1,400 women and children. To safeguard the virtue of these unfortunate women and protect the health and perhaps the life of the children she prayed that financial aid might be given until the strike could be won.

FALL RIVER, MASS., Nov. 18.—The news that the American Federation of Labor had voted to raise immediately $75,000 in aid of the strikers here was received joyously by the officials of the various textile unions and the strikers in general. The newspapers issued extra editions containing the announcement.

The action at San Francisco is considered by most of the union officials as the only step necessary to enable the strike to be carried to a finish.

It is estimated that it costs about $10,000 weekly to conduct the contest against the mill owners.

President N. B. Borden, of the Fall River Manufacturers' Association, on being told of the labor bodies' action, said:

"The assessment levied by the American Federation of Labor will have no effect whatever on the manufacturers. They cannot and will not make any concession."

Mr. Borden further said the question of re-opening the seventy-five mills next Sunday depends on the disposition of the operatives.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE.

Officers Elected—Resolutions Regarding the Liquor Traffic Adopted.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLUMBUS, O. Nov. 18.—The American Anti-saloon League to-day elected Bishop Luther B. Wilson president and P. A. Baker general superintendent. Bishop Hass, of Jackson, Miss., was elected one of the vice-presidents and Rev. James Cameron, of Blackstone, Va., and G. W. Hawkhurst of Falls Church, Va., members of the executive committee.

The resolutions adopted declare that the "liquor traffic must be regarded and dealt with as a crime;" call upon Congress to make prohibition a condition of statehood, for the Indian Territory, and favor the passage of the so called Hepburn-Dolliver bill "in such form as shall effectively secure to the States power to control the liquor traffic within their own boundaries without interference under the guise of inter-state commerce."

THE JAPANESE PRINCE

With His Party and Escorts Left Washington for St. Louis Exposition.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Prince Fushimi, his party and his escort left Washington to-day for St. Louis. Before leaving, on behalf of the prince, A. Sate, grand master of the household of his imperial highness, made a statement expressing the pleasure the prince has derived from his visit to this country, his satisfaction over the sympathy shown for Japan and hoping that his mission of friendship and good will may in some measure be conducive of strengthening that tie of amity and good correspondence which happily exists between the two countries.

As personal gifts from the Mikado, Prince Fushimi sent to Mrs. Roosevelt and Mrs. Hay, wife of the secretary of State, teakwood chests mounted in solid silver, each containing priceless silks, embroideries, fans, carving and other articles of Japanese workmanship.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

Fourteen Miners Killed at a Coal Mine in British Columbia.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PAUL, MINN., Nov. 18.—A Fernie, B. C., dispatch to the Pioneer Press says fourteen miners were killed at the Carbonado mines near Morrissey this afternoon as a result of a terrific explosion of coal gas. The disaster occurred in No. 1 mine, ten miles west of Fernie. The work of rescue was kept up all the afternoon and all the bodies have been recovered.

Notes aggregating $12,000 on which appears the name, as maker and endorser, of Mrs. Fannie M. McCue for whose murder former Mayor J. Samuel McCue is now under sentence of death, are due and have been presented to the administrator of the estate, Edward O. McCue, of Charlottesville, Va., a brother of the condemned man, who informed the holder that the signatures were not made by Mrs. McCue. Suits will be brought at the December term of the Corporation court.

H. D. Kilgore, travelling passenger agent of the Vandalia Lines, with headquarters at San Antonio, Texas, is dead at the McLean farm near Eagle Lake, as the result of wounds received while duck hunting. The circumstances of the shooting which resulted in Mr. Kilgore's death are unknown.

TRAGEDY NEAR DETROIT.

Man and Woman Found Lying Dead in a Buggy—Believed to be a Case of Murder and Suicide.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DETROIT, MICH, Nov. 18.—Two night policemen in Wyandotte, 12 miles down the river from Detroit, early to-day discovered a horse and buggy standing at the corner of Fourth and Oak streets with H. J. Hillebrand and Mrs. W. J. Miller, of Detroit, lying dead in the buggy. Both were shot through the head and it is considered by the authorities to be a clear case of murder and suicide. Whether Hillebrand or the woman fired the shots is unknown. A letter found on Hillebrand's person, written to him by the woman while he was in Chicago a short time ago, told of an intimacy between the two and warned Hillebrand that he must be careful of her husband, whom she said had threatened to shoot him if he returned here.

Hillebrand was a bar-keeper. Mrs. Miller had been married only a year and a half. Her husband says he believes her refusal to elope with Hillebrand caused him to shoot her and commit suicide. Miller says his wife told him that Hillebrand had threatened her life once before when she refused to accompany him to Chicago.

WARM WIRELETS.

Dr. George Streeter, a prominent citizen of Waco, Texas, who was past grand master of the order of Odd Fellows, died yesterday.

Nine of the cotton manufacturing plants which started up last Monday in an attempt to break the big strike at Fall River were shut down yesterday. Three others claim to have made gains.

Secretary Taft of the War Department, and his party passed through Atlanta yesterday afternoon. They will reach New Orleans to-day and will sail for Pensacola, Fla. From Pensacola the party will go to Panama.

Noah Bailey, a prosperous merchant, was shot and instantly killed on the street at Panther, W. Va., yesterday, by Roscoe Henderson, who fled to the hills. He is still at large though being pursued by a party of his victim's friends.

Fire at Norfolk, Va., early this morning gutted Norfolk's produce and vegetable market. The firemen prevented its spreading to the city market building over which is the armory of the 71st regiment and the city department offices.

The British steamer Horsa, at Hamilton, Bermuda, landed the crew of the American barque Elmiranda, from Jacksonville, November 4th, for Port of Spain. The Elmiranda was abandoned November 16th and her crew picked up by the Horsa.

"The story that I have agreed to fight Jack Johnson, is not true," says James J. Jeffries. "I will never fight a negro. I am entirely in the hands of the press and the people. Any white man they choose I will fight on six weeks notice."

The Assateague, Va., life-savers report that the schooner Thomas Winsmore, from Brunswick for Philadelphia (before reported spoken with loss of sails, etc.,) arrived at Assateague, Va., Thursday night, with jibboom, foretopmast and all head sails gone.

Six indictments against ex Judge F. C. Randolph, of the Probate Court, Montgomery, Ala., were nolle prossed there yesterday. The indictments charged embezzlements from the State and county of about $9,000. Seven other indictments, involving about $21,000, were disposed of several days ago in the same way.

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Just Received—Car of Fancy New York State Irish potatoes that I will sell in lots away down in price. Car now being unloaded at foot of Dock street. Fresh consignments of Cabbage, Apples and other produce being received daily. A. S. Winstead, 213 Market street. 'Phone 203. oct 19 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

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Iron and lead goods are daily advancing in price. If you are going to purchase don't delay. We are making a run this week on Merchant's Old Method, old style and Elsie Tin, Solder, Lead Pipe, Pig Lead, Galvanized and Black Iron Pipe, soil Pipe and fittings.

Enamelled Bath Tubs, Kitchen Sinks and 30 gallon Range Boilers.

We want your inquiries and orders for

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We have moved to our new office on our shipping depot, "Waterland," between the A. C. L. and S. A. L. depots, and cordially invite our friends and patrons to call and see our extensive stock and unrivalled facilities for handling business. Respectfully,

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Atmone's Mince Meat,

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Baskets of all kinds.

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OYSTERS.

COUGHS EARLY CROP

Fall coughing has begun, White Pine and Tar Syrup is beginning to sell. People think as much of it as ever. It certainly is a good remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness and ordinary throat troubles. Price 25 cents at

HARDIN'S

Palace Pharmacy,
126 South Front St.
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For Ready Made Clothing, Overcoats and Rain coats. Hats and Caps a Specialty. Children's Suits to fit like a Glove.

Latest Styles and Lowest Prices.

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THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.,

"The Store That's Always Busy."

Semi-Annual Bargain Sale.

In November of each year we have one of our Bargain Week sales. This year we propose to make such reductions throughout our entire establishment to attract the attention of the most careful shoppers. Many advertisements are written with the sole object of enticing money from the credulous and over confident readers. We do not advertise in this way. Our public announcements are a plain statement of facts connected with our business.

Here are some Bargain Week attractions—every article advertised will be sold for cash only.

SILKS! SILKS!

For suits and waists. 500 yards of colored fancy silks, 19 and 27 inches wide, bargain at $1.00 per yard, special for this week sale 69c. per yard.

36-inch black spot proof warranted taffetta silk, sold regularly for $1.50 per yard. Bargain week price $1.20 per yard.

36 inch warranted taffetta silk, in black only, regular selling price $1.25, bargain week price 95c. per yard.

$1.25 fancy silk velvet, suitable for waists, bargain week 90c.

Fancy velveteen for waists, our 75c. sellers, bargain week price only 50c.

85c. extra quality taffetta silk, in all shades, bargain week prices 65c.

75c white, plain and fancy mousselines, silk crepes and coleums, bargain week price 55c. per yard.

$1.75 white and black Chiffon cloth, 45 inches wide, bargain price $1.50.

48-inch black and navy veille, our regular 85c. goods, bargain week price only 69c. per yard.

HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

Ladies and children. All our hosiery warranted to be fast black.

100 dozen children's fine ribbed hose, they are our regular 25c. sellers. Bargain week price 21c. a pair or 5 pair for $1.00.

50 dozen ladies' plain and lace hose, 15c. our regular selling price. Bargain week price only 12c. per pair.

50c. lace Lisle hose for ladies, in black only, bargain week price 39c.

50 dozen children's fine ribbed hose, 15c. value, bargain week price 12c.

25c. gents' fancy hose, in odds and ends, special to close only 19c. per pair.

Ladies' extra quality ribbed vests and pants worth 75c., special, only 50c each.

Ladies' knit underskirts from 50c to $2 each, a cut of ten per cent. on any skirt in the department.

PORTIERS.

A cosy home must be comfortably furnished; a pair of portiers go far towards furnishing a cosy home.

Odd lot of several pair that will be sold for half prices.

We have the largest assortment of $5 portiers in the State.

On all portiers over $5 we will allow 15 per cent. discount.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS.

We have them, the part-wool and the all-wool kind.

$4 wool Carlton blankets $3.50.
$5 all wool Carlton blanket $4.50.
$6 all wool Carlton blanket $5.40.
$1.50 Silkaline covered comforters now $1 25.
$6 Down comforters now $5.40.
Fancy pillows for divans 20c.

THE WAGENER CURTAIN STRETCHER.

They do not sag in the middle; price only $3 each.

NOTIONS

FANCY and SMALL WARES—10c. Fancy ribbons in short lengths all displayed 5c. per yard.

35c to 50c. Plain taffetta ribbon 6 inches wide, displayed at 2½c. per yard.

Ladies 15c. linen collars in odd sizes to close them out 5c. each.

The Sweetheart Soap 5c. per cake.

Three cakes sweet soap 25c. a box; bargain week price 19c.

$1.25 Gents and Ladies, Umbrellas good cloth, stylish handles, only $1.

15c. Turkish Bath towels 50 dozen to dispose of bargain week, price 9c.

5c. buys a fine quality Pearl button, in three sizes.

Three balls of Darning cotton for 5c.

50c. will buy a doll worth 65c. and 75c. Our Christmas stock now ready for your inspection.

WASH GOODS, WHITE GOODS INCLUDED.

12½c. India Linen—Bargain price 9c. per yard.

15c. India Linen—Bargain Price 12c. per yard.

20c. India Linen, Bargain Price 17c. per yard.

15c. White Persian Lawn, bargain price 13c.

12½ and 15c. Figured Chambry, 36 inches wide, a big bargain this week, 10c. per yard.

36 inches Skirting looks like Wool a special bargain 10c. a yard.

12½c. Dark Percales 36 inches wide best quality, bargain week price 10c. per yard.

12½c. Figured Duck suitable for waists, bargain week prices 9c. per yard.

CLOAKS & FURS

Reduced for bargain week. Some handsome wraps came to us last week, they will be included in the Bargain week selling.

Extra fine quality Black, Castor, or Tan long coats, Butcher backs, bought to sell for $12 50 and $15, bargain price $10.

Our stock of Furs is so large that we will not mention prices, but will allow a discount of 10 per cent. from any fur in the department.

DRESS GOODS—THE ALL WOOL KIND.

Black and Gray Mixed, sold regularly for $1.25 per yard; bargain week price only 89c.

$1.25 Black Mohair, 44-inch wide, extra quality; bargain week price $1.00 per yard.

85c Zibeline, 52-inch wide; bargain week price 69c per yard.

54 inch Pebble Cheviot, $1.00 regular selling price; bargain week price 80c.

65c Novelty Veille, 38 inch wide, in black and navy blue; bargain week price 50c.

$1.00 Etemine, 42-inch wide; bargain week price 85c per yard.

$1.00 quality Veille, in black and colors; bargain week price 85c.

$1.50 Black Broadcloth, 52-inch wide; bargain week price only $1.20.

$1.25 Black Granite, 44-ich wide; bargain week price only $1.00.

52-inch Colored Suitings, sold regularly at 85c and $1.00 a yard; bargain week price only 75c.

75c Plaid French Flannel, 30 inch wide; bargain price 40c per yard.

54-inch Broadcloth, in three shades, worth 85c per yard; bargain week price only 70c per yard.

Novelty Boucla suiting, worth $1.75, 54 inches wide, suitable for children's wraps, bargain price $1.35.

54-inch green Venetian in two shades, sold for $1 per yard, bargain week price only 85c.

LACE CURTAINS.

Bargain week prices:

We know that these prices will bring a great crowd. Large stock to select from—all new goods.

Number—					
1111	Lace Curtains,	our	$1.75	for	$1 40
9905	"	"	1 75	"	1.40
7965	"	"	2.00	"	1.65
9459	"	"	2.75	"	2.25
9720	"	"	2.00	"	1 65
9402	"	"	1.50	"	1.25
9920	"	"	3.00	"	2 40
3053	"	"	3.75	"	3.00
7934	"	"	3.50	"	2.90
9367	"	"	3 50	"	2 90
9961	"	"	3 25	"	2.75
9177	"	"	3.00	"	2 40

$3.00 Net Ruffled Curtains now 2.40
$3.50 Net Ruffled Curtains now 3 00

CARPETS.

Bargain week prices:

Our Axminster Carpets are beautiful more so than ever before. Our regular $1.65 extra fine quality, bargain week price $1.35 per yard; this includes the making, laying and lining.

Our Sultan Velvets carpet in parlor room, hall and stair, sold at $1.25; bargain week price only $1.10 per yard laid on your floor.

Extra quality Brussels carpet room, hall, stair and parlor, regular price $1.00 per yard; bargain price 85c per yard, sewed and laid.

Good quality Brussels carpet room, hall and stair pattern—it is regular 80c seller; bargain week price only 60c, sewed and laid.

80c and 75c quality all wool ingrain carpets, 36-in. wide, suitable for rooms and halls; bargain price 67c, made laid and lined.

MATTINGS—Chinese and Japanese

Just received one hundred rolls from an import order; 15c quality, red and green colors, special bargain week price 10c.

Extra quality China Matting, heavy weight, fancy weaves and large assortment, at 25c per yard.

Extra quality China Matting, heavy weight, short straws, only 20c.

Hodges' Fibre Carpet, 36-in. wide, sold for 70c per yard—twenty pieces to select from; bargain price 58c, laid sewed and lined.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

White Spreads—15c quality Lonsdale Cambric, 10c; 12½ quality Cannon Cloth, 10c; 15c quality Indian Head, 11c; good quality yard wide shirting, 6c per yard.

Ten yards Fruit of the Loom for 75c.

No 300—Long Cloth worth $1.50 for $1.25.

No. 400—Long Cloth worth $1.75 for $1 45.

No. 500—Long Cloth worth $2.00 for $1.65.

36-inch English Nainsook, 12 yards pieces, for $1.25 a piece.

18-inch Plain Pillow Cases, best grade, 45x36 inch. Bargain week price 15 cents.

Same goods in Hemstitched only 18 cents.

81x90 Plain Nawhawk Sheets, sold regularly at 80 cents. Bargain week price 65 cents.

90x90 Plain Nawhawk sheets, sold regularly at 85 cents. Bargain week price 75 cents.

90x90 Hemstitched Nawhawk Sheets sold at $1.00. Bargain price 75 cents.

Extra large and heavy white spreads worth $1.50. Bargain week price $1.25.

A reduction of ten per cent. on any white spread in our store; prices range from 75 cents to $4.00 each.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT ALWAYS CONSPICUOUS

for the refreshing originality of its productions as well as the superb value it constantly has in for its patrons. We offer special inducements during our bargain week sale.

Remember the items advertised above will be sold for CASH only. Sale begins Monday morning and continues during the entire week.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.

nov 13 tf

Christmas Coming.

161 Barrels Apples.
294 Boxes New Raisins, due.
12,000 C. C. Nuts, due.
4,500 Florida Oranges.
1,800 Pounds Mixed Nuts.
2,400 Pounds Evaporated Apples.
4,500 Bushels Virginia Peanuts.
3,100 Bushels N. C. Peanuts.
326 Boxes Stick Candy.
110 Boxes Fancy Candy.
96 Pails Chocolate.
250 Boxes Penny Candy.
103 Boxes Videt Kisses.
41 Boxes Sweetheart Kisses.

W. B. COOPER,

Wholesale Grocer,

nov 17 tf Wilmington, N. C.

New Goods.

300 Cases Sardines
200 " Salmon
100 " Corn
100 " Peaches
300 " Tomatoes
50 " Jar Jelly
150 " Pickles
5,000 Lbls Stick Candy
100 Pails Mixed Candy
50 Boxes Fancy Goods
20,000 White Knight Cigars
20,000 El Captain Cigars
10,000 Fontella Cigars

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